

The Squatter Sovereign



ATCHISON, FEB. 10, 1857.

LATEST FROM EUROPE

Arrival of Steamer City of Washington.

Bombardment of Canton by the English Naval Forces.

Great Advance of Tea in the English Market.

SANDY HOOK, Jan. 17.

The new steamship City of Washington has arrived off this point.

Intelligence had quite unexpectedly been received from China; that, on the 24th of October, the British fleet, under Admiral Seymour, commenced bombarding the city of Canton. The bombardment had continued two days, and it was reported that city walls had been breached, and the bastions taken.

The collision at Canton was owing to the seizure of twelve British seamen on board of a vessel in the river.

The British Consul interceded, was threatened with violence, and when remonstrated with, the Chinese Governor General treated him with contempt.

To PRE-EMPTORS.—CORRECTION.—In inserting the card of Messrs. HUGHES & DOWMAN a week or two since, we had it BZLA C. instead of BZLA M. HUGHES. As this may have led to some misapprehension, we take this method of rectifying the error.

Persons having any business to transact at the Land Office, or the Courts at Leavenworth, will find no more able or faithful agents than the above gentlemen.

The experience of Gen. Hughes as a register of land, makes his services particularly valuable in all matters appertaining to claims.

Claim-holders may rest assured that their interests will be faithfully served in the hands of Messrs. H. & D. See card.

ICE PREPARATIONS.—Our good citizens are taking time by the fore-lock, and preparing fully to minister to the taste and appetite of the coming spring and summer. No one coming to our town need fear that the good things of life will be wanting. There is too much spirit and enterprise in our town to leave any of the requisites of life unprepared. Having supplied all the necessaries requisite to every department of industry, they are now exerting themselves to furnish the thirsty traveler with beverages of mint juleps, &c. Ice houses are being filled, and all necessary steps to accommodate visitors in the spring and summer.

FOSTER HOUSE.—This house is now conducted in a highly satisfactory manner, the arrangements being all that could be desired. Mr. Foster, the gentlemanly proprietor is becoming deservedly popular, and his house is receiving a liberal patronage. Success to him.

We have to beg the indulgence of a few of our patrons for missing them last week. Our subscription list received such a large accession after the first side was struck off, that we could not accommodate all. This week we strike off a sufficient number to meet the emergency.

WANTED.—Messrs. C. L. Derby & Co., New York, advertise for agents. The business is a pleasant and profitable one. Refer to advertisement.

If you want an instructive, interesting, valuable paper, subscribe for The Nation. See prospects in another column.

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SWITZERLAND approves these terms, and the Federal Assembly is summoned to ratify them.

The Congress of Paris closed on the 18th inst., having signed a protocol which is expected to terminate all difficulties in the fulfillment of the treaty of peace.

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WE SELL ENDORS.—No other paper, but this instance, we are found to overcome our prejudices, and consider the "Nation" to our readers.—TOP, ALB. Bulletin.

NOTICE:

To the Stockholders of the Leavenworth Town Company.

IT IS HEREBY given that in pursuance

of the by-Laws of the Leavenworth Town Com-

pany, and of the resolutions which assess-

ments have not been paid, will be paid to the highest bidder for cash, at the office of the Company in the city of Leavenworth, K. T., on the first Monday in December next, commencing at 10 o'clock, A. M., to meet the payment for the stock of the Town Company for the Capital of Kansas.

The amount received into the Treasury of the Company amounts to \$8,192.67.

Leaving a balance in the Treasury of \$8,000.

All sums on which one or more assessments or indebtedness due after six months of such indebtedness, due notice being given thereof, be declared forfeited and sold, the indebtedness paid and the balance carried to the credit of account.

No assessment is due upon stock certificates with the seal attached, but upon all others.

By order of the Board of Trustees.

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